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SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT CLEARANCE FOR THAILAND HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING
REQUEST - USAID AND ILEA BANGKOK SPECIAL INVESTIGATION GROUP WORKSHOP
ON PANGOLINS AND BIG CATS

REF: BANGKOK 3224

¶1. (SBU) The Department of State reviewed its files and finds that, as of this date, it possesses no credible evidence of gross violations of human rights committed by the individuals listed below. The individuals are candidates to attend the Special Investigation Group Workshop on Pangolins and Big Cats at ILEA Bangkok from November 26-28, 2008.

¶2. (U) Candidates:

Name: Chavalviwat Subsak
Title: Deputy Commander
Unit: Natural Resources and Environmental Crime Division, Royal Thai Police
DPOB: February 2, 1955; Chantaburi, Thailand.

Name: Kengkasikij Thanayod
Title: Deputy Superintendent
Unit: Natural Resources and Environmental Crime Division, Royal Thai Police
DPOB: September 25, 1967, Uthai Tthani, Thailand.

¶3. (U) Post may provide the following statement to authorized parties: Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the individuals identified above, as of this date. Post may cite this cable in response.

¶4. (U) If, in the future, post becomes aware of possible human rights violations by the individuals listed above, post should inform the Department and not proceed with training.

¶5. (U) POC for this action is Jameson DeBose:
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